Only President Hempstead's Objection Keeps Mathewson From Becoming Manager of New Yorks

RUPPERT MAY GO IT **ALONE IN PURCHASE**

Huston's Business Associates Do Not Favor His Entry Into Baseball.

MATTY RUMOR NOT GOSSIP

All of the mystery which has surrounded the negotiations for the sale of the New York American League Club is likely to be dispelled at a meeting to-day which will bring together Frank Farrell, the sale of the State of the State of the steamboat dock and of persons who have never had the sale of the steamboat dock and of persons who have never had the sale of the steamboat dock and of persons who have never had the sale of the steamboat dock and of persons who have never had the sale of the steamboat dock and sale of the sa All of the mystery which has surrounded will bring together Frank Farrell, the present president, and Col. Jacob Ruppert, Jr., and Capt. Tillinghest L. Huston. An admission of such a conference was made admission of such a conference was made yesterday by Huston and he supplemented the remark with a prediction that night
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for publication purposes at least, never has consented to go on record either way. His emotions seem to have played between the white heat of enthusiasm to utter indifference throughout the week of negotiations and it was said yesterday that ations and it was said yesterday that Capt. Huston might let Col. Ruppert go it alone even if the transaction is bound to-day by formal delivery of the club stock. Capt. Huston's apparent indifference of the past twenty-four hours prehis business associates of Havana, Cuba

admitted yesterday that his partners did not seem enthusiastic over his entry into baseball, but also said that their views would not deter him in sup-porting Col. Ruppert if arrangements were the merits of the manager and players guaranteed rather than upon the price.

A National League magnate of this city who is a friend of Col. Ruppert and who has maintained throughout the bickerings that the sale would be concluded to every.

Ottawa. Positions. Dartmouth. Behan. Left wing. Holmes. ne's satisfaction, had this to say yester-

day afternoon.
"I think matters have gone too far for any sort of backdown in either quarter, and I am sure a change of ownership will be announced at once. From what I have learned I am not so certain that Capt. Huston will be associated with Col. Rupner. But I do think that the latter. But I do think that the latter.

From this same source it was learned that Christy Mathewson's unwilling association as rumored manager of the club was no idle tongue wagging. The gentieman in question, who is very close to National League affairs, declares that the object of the visit of Messrs. Ruppert and Huston to Harry N. Hempstead in Indianactic holes the object the acquisity and fluston to Harry N. Hempstead in Indianapolis had as its object the acquisition of Matty as manager. Furthermore, they are said to have had the consent of McGraw to negotiate for the idel of the Polo Grounds. The president of the Glants, however, could not be persuaded at this time to part with a player who represents so much to the town. As a represents so much to the town. winning pitcher Mathewson ranks

ment, gossip has it that a new and for-midable antagonist has arisen. This is a sterling player of the National League

Ice Yachts to Race Monday.

Committee of the Lorin Branch for Roady be Hard from Europe recently. The first recent the search for the second for the corn moders permant for Minday next. A like Stallabor Potts curse. The Association of the Stallabor Potts curse. The Stallabor Potts curse and the Stallabor Potts curse and the Stallabor Potts curse. The Stallabor Potts curse and the

Races on the Shrewsbury,

RED BANK, Dec. 25 .- The Independent ice Yacht Club started the ice yacht racng season to-day on the Shrewsbury River with four events. One was sailed for the commodore's cups and the other three for points on the club champion-

Everett Asay, salling his fast ice yacht Streak won the first three races in fast time and lost the final event to S. Vincent Willis's Fidget by only 20 seconds. All the races were for six miles about a triangular course. A brisk north wind blew over the river morning and after-

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Two Players Injured.

Boston, Dec. 25 .- Ottawa University's mers only will be matched in Boston, Dec. 25.—Ottawa University a hockey team defeated Darrmouth, 3 to 2, in a stirring extra period game at the highest talent and there can never be a Arena to-night. Great defensive work by question of decisions with the camera on porting Col. Ruppert if arrangements were completed on as satisfactory a basis as those arrived at in Chicago. So far as the personally, is concerned it seems to be a question of satisfying himself upon the discontinuous personal in the control of the control o made the shot giving his team victory.

Fournier and Wanamaker were both injured. The former was great defensively top and have a view of every shot. Then

Boxer Houston Has Broken Jaw. A broken jaw will ke p Walter Hous-

ton, the Brooklyn light heavyweight. blow which put Houston on the sick list, in thesecond round of a bout at the Coney Island Sporting Club on Thursday night. It was a right hand uppercut.

inning pitcher Mathewson ranks too ighly in the profession to be sacrificed a the interests of his ambition.

While Wild Bill Donovan appears just ow the favorite in the running for the south at 171st street and Fulton avenue, to Invincibles of the Bronx Church House and While Wild Bill Donovan appears just will play the Astoria A. A.

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even the muscles in the wrists of the players will be seen to move.

B. R. Stoddard was first in the fifteen class and Class

Johnson's Highest Ambition Is to Be World's Greatest Baker of Biscuits

was in London," said Georgie Monroe, who the first race of the season for the com-modore's pennant for Monday next. A was well liked in London. He made good yesterday afternoon and immediately he money in the halls until the falling off of announced Joe Shugrue's fistic demise in

Baseball Furnishes It. Vivid Contrasts

BASEBALL furnishes its vivid contrasts in individuals as in plays and business deals. The purchase price of Eddie Collins is variously estimated at from \$50,-000 to \$100,000 cash, the record price of the history of the game. The day Connie Mack sold Collins to the White Sox for a stupendous amount the Cadillac club of the Michigan State League disposed of three .300 hitters for the ridiculous price of \$150. Young and Sharrock went to Kansas City, while Penner was turned over to Saginaw. While these three rolled into one might not begin to make an embryo Collins, it must still be remembered that a short year ago almost any .300 hitter would have brought at least \$500 on the big league market.

LOVIBOND'S CHRISTMAS VERY NEARLY SPOILED

Seventh Regiment Tennis Star Forced to Three Sets to Win Over Cragin.

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KING, WITH FINE AID, NOTCHES FOUR GOALS

New York State Leaguer Kicks Four Shots Which Evade Cummings at Goal.

NATIONALS LOSE RUBBER

Brooklyn played an important factor in

QUAKERS DUPLICATE SCORE.

Picked Team of Visitors Defeats the Irish American heavyweights are

Although Zuna was beaten to the tape Flynn in ten.

FOX SETS A STIFF PACE.

the E. D. Morgan place. The meet was at the kennels here, and all the good covers which looked as though they might shelter a fox were gone through and draw after draw made with each ne resulting in a blank,

Finally in the Broad Hollow woods the hounds found, and the scent was strong nough for the pack to set a fast pace Brooklyn played an important factor in in sight. At times the scent would last, and hounds would worry over a fault for. National League by the representatives a few minutes, then they would go and keep up the stiff pace which they had held during the early running.

After an hour's run hounds drove the manfully and the wonder of it all was the fox to earth. Those who managed to keep up throughout the run were Mr. he was still on his feet at the end of keep up throughout the run were Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. I

and Mrs. J. E. Davis, Mr. and Mrs. H. I Nicholas, Egerton Winthrop, J. Benson Rose, George Rose, Jr., H. Eastman, O. C. Campbell, H. S. Ladew, F. Underhill, Huntsman Thomas Allison and the whips. CINDER PATH STARS ENTERED.

Charity Meet To-night, There will be a big gathering of ath-left side was as red as Walter letic fans in Madison Square Garden to-night for the save a home meeting in pony up that \$6,000 to the Feds. metropolitan district has entered. Boxes ing. All he seemed anxious to do wa and seats have been liberally subscribed the limit, and he did—at taking pur

ism for the 600 yard special race and the sprint will have Alvah T. Meyer of the Irish American A. C. as scratch man. The hurdle race may give a line on the Emes and Buhler. For the high jump Wesley M. Oler, Jr., Paul Thompson of

even won from the picked cleven etropolitan League at Lenox Oval y afternoon by 2 goals to 1, the

Season Will Begin To-night With

Nick Nelson defeated Georgie

DALY MAKES RECORD

EAST NORWICH, L. I., Dec. 25.—Society FOR TAKING PUNCHES Assimilates Thousand or More

Blows From Williams, but

Never Hits Floor.

REFUSES TO FIGHT BACK

Johnny Daly didn't win the world's be tam weight championship from Kid w iams at the Pioneer Sporting Club vests Patsy Haley call a halt

fact that Haley was trying to avoid a liston Daly would have gone down.

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